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**Re: Hudson River PCBs Superfund Site  
Administrative Order on Consent for Remedial Design (CERCLA-02-2003-2027)  
Remedial Action Consent Decree (Civil Action No.1:05 CV-1270)  
Addendum No. 3 to Phase 2 Final Design Report for 2013**

Dear Mr. King:

Enclosed for EPA's review and approval is Addendum No. 3 to GE's Phase 2 Final Design Report for 2013 (2013 FDR). This Addendum presents certain proposed design revisions for dredging operations in CUs 59 and 60, which are located in Reach 8 of the River below the NYSCC safety cable and immediately upstream of the Thompson Island Dam. Specifically, these design revisions consist of: (1) modifications to reflect an updated survey of the shoreline elevation (119 feet) along the western shore of CU 60 (the boundary of the dredge area); and (2) modifications to the dredging limits and several related dredging and habitat replacement/reconstruction operations based on an analysis of the safety risks associated with working near the Thompson Island Dam, so as to reduce the risks of work in close proximity to the dam.

Please contact me if you have any questions about this addendum.

Sincerely yours,

for Timothy A. Kruppenbacher  
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Enclosure

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